

**In the claims:**

1. In a radio communication station having a user display that selectably displays display indicia of an initial display size, the user display positioned at a face surface of the radio communication station, an improvement of apparatus for facilitating viewing by a user of a

5 display displayed on the user display, said apparatus comprising:

an optical lens selectably positionable above the user display of the radio communication station, said optical lens of a dimension at least to cover at least a portion of the user display when positioned thereabove, said optical lens exhibiting a magnification level that magnifies the display indicia of the initial display size to be of a magnified display size when

10 viewed by the user through said optical lens;

a mounting arm engageable with both said optical lens and the radio communication station, said mounting arm for mounting said optical lens in position above the user display.

15 2. The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the user display is defined in terms of a surface area and wherein the dimensions of said optical lens are great enough substantially to overlay the surface area of the user display when said optical lens is positioned thereabove.

3. The apparatus of claim 2 wherein the face surface of the radio communication  
20 station at which the user display is positioned further comprises a user actuator positioned thereat and wherein the dimensions of said optical lens permits direct access by the user to the user

actuator when said optical lens is positioned substantially to overlay the surface area of the user display.

4. The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the magnification level of said optical lens  
5 causes the magnified display size to be at least double the initial display size.

5. The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said mounting arm comprises a first elongated  
mounting arm piece extending in an axial direction and a telescoping piece positionable in the  
first elongated mounting arm and permitted selected telescoping movement in the axial direction  
10 relative to the first elongated mounting arm piece, relative positioning of the telescoping piece  
determinative of heightwise positioning of said optical lens.

6. The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said mounting arm further comprises a  
clamping piece positioned at an end portion thereof, said clamping piece for engaging said  
15 optical lens in clamping engagement, thereby to support said optical lens in position therefrom.

7. The apparatus of claim 6 wherein said clamping piece is pivotally coupled at the  
end portion of said mounting arm, said clamping piece positioned at a selected radial orientation  
relative to said mounting arm.

8. The apparatus of claim 7 wherein said mounting arm extends in an axial direction and wherein the selected radial orientation in which said clamping piece is positioned extends in a direction substantially perpendicular to the axial direction in which said mounting arm extends.

5 9. The apparatus of claim 8 wherein, when said optical lens is engaged with said mounting arm and said mounting arm is engaged with the portable radio communication station, said optical lens is positionable to extend in a direction substantially parallel to a face surface of the radio communication station.

10 10. The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the portable radio communication station further defines a back surface, the back surface opposed to the face surface, and wherein said mounting arm comprises a first elongated mounting arm piece and a mounting arm extension piece, said mounting arm extension piece positionable along the back surface of the portable radio communication station.

15 11. The apparatus of claim 10 wherein the portable radio communication station further defines a side surface extending between the face surface and the back surface and wherein said first elongated mounting arm piece is positionable to extend along the side surface of the portable radio communication station.

12. The apparatus of claim 11 wherein said mounting arm further comprises a hinge piece, said hinge piece connected, at a first side thereof, to said first elongated mounting arm piece and, at a second side thereof, to said mounting arm extension.

5 13. The apparatus of claim 10 wherein said first elongated mounting arm piece further comprises a hooking latch, said hooking latch latchingly engageable with the portable radio communication station to engage said mounting arm together with the portable radio communication station.

10 14. The apparatus of claim 10 wherein said mounting arm extension piece further comprises an affixation mating part, said affixation mating part for engaging with the portable radio communication station to engage together said mounting arm with the portable radio communication station.

15. In a method of displaying display indicia at a user display of a radio communication station, the user display positioned at a face surface of the radio communication station, an improvement of a method for facilitating viewing by a user of a display displayed on the user display, said method comprising:

- 5           attaching an optical lens to a mounting arm, the optical lens exhibiting a magnification level that magnifies the display indicia of the initial display size to be of a magnified display size when viewed by the user through the optical lens;
- engaging the mounting arm with the portable radio communication station; and
- positioning the optical lens above the user display to permit viewing of the user
- 10   display through the optical lens.

16. The method of claim 15 wherein the optical lens attached to the mounting arm during said operation of attaching is pivotally coupled to the mounting arm.

- 15           17. The method of claim 16 wherein said operation of positioning comprises rotating the optical lens into position to overlay the user display.

18. The method of claim 15 wherein the mounting arm to which the optical lens is attached during said operation of attaching comprises a first elongated mounting arm piece and a
- 20   mounting arm extension piece.

19. The method of claim 18 wherein said operation of engaging the mounting arm comprises attaching both the first elongated mounting arm piece and the mounting arm extension piece.

5        20. The method of claim 15 wherein the portable radio communication station further comprises a user actuator positioned at the face surface of the portable radio communication station and wherein said method further comprises the operations by the user of concurrently viewing the user indicia displayed on the user display through the optical lens and actuating the user actuator.